

FROM AFRICA.—Papers of April 25th from Liberia were received by the Commercial on Saturday. The U. S. ship Grampus arrived at Monrovia on the 23d. Her officers and crew had recovered from the fever contracted at Rio Nunez. The long pending difficulties between the Colony and the Fishermen of Bassa Cove have been adjusted by a regular treaty. The Fishermen agree to pay \$1000 indemnification for their aggressions on the Colony; they also recognize the right of the Colony to all the land between Bassa Cove and Tobacco as ceded by the original owners in 1836, and consent to be subject to the laws of the Colony, and to relinquish the Slave trade under penalty of death for buying and selling a Slave.

FROM THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS.—The St. Louis Republican says that a fleet of ten boats arrived in that city on the 14th, from the 'head of navigation' of the Missouri and her tributaries. They were richly and heavily laden with the rewards of toil—having on board above 20,000 Buffalo robes, an indefinite number of Beaver skins, with Buffalo tongues and other items of luxury, delicacy and utility. The steamer Trapper is soon expected at St. Louis from the Yellowstone. Some of these boats were built in the 'Far West.'

#### FROM CANADA.

On Wednesday the 14th inst. a despatch from Lord John Russell to Sydneyham was sent down to the House of Assembly; it possesses considerable importance from the views and purposes which it develops on the part of the Home Government with reference to the preservation of the Canadian Provinces. It states that in any measures that may be adopted it must be taken for granted that her Majesty persists in the determination to maintain at all hazards her Royal authority in Canada. At the same time her advisers are not insensible to the difficulties of carrying this purpose into execution. 'A Province bordered by an open frontier of more than a thousand miles—approached with ease at all times by the citizens of a neighboring and powerful State, separated from England not only by the ocean, but by the rigours of climate and season, must be maintained by a judicious preparation for defence in time of peace, and a vigorous exertion of the resources of the empire in time of war, or not at all.' The debt of the Province is stated at £1,500,000 above what can be raised in Canada, including the sum required to complete the public works necessary for the free passage between the Western frontier of the Province, the St. Lawrence and the Sea. Her Majesty's Government are ready to propose to Parliament to guarantee a loan for the repayment of such part of this debt as may now be redeemable. With regard to the defence of the Province the greatest attention has been bestowed upon it, and the opinion of the Government is that "no dependence upon the decided superiority of our troops and arrangements made for defence connected with them, should lead us to neglect the construction and completion of permanent works calculated for the protection of the points of most importance to us." A large effective regular force and a Militia registered and enrolled will be indispensable. The Government are prepared to state their opinion that in addition the ordinary estimates of the year £100,000 should be yearly applied for the defence of Canada. The renewal of the Emigrant Tax is recommended.

#### TO DESTROY WORMS FROM CABBAGE.

A friend of ours, upon whom we can rely, informs us of the following mode of preserving Cabbage—which, he says, he has tried for several years, and always succeeded.—Make a strong solution of salt and water, and sprinkle it lightly over the plant early in the morning, taking care not to put on so much as to injure the plant. This is a remedy so simple, and so perfectly within the reach of all, that we think it ought to be generally tried.—Batesville News.

#### A. A. STITH,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law,  
Holly Springs, Mississippi.

OFFICE—The one formerly occupied by ANDERSON & FISLEY,  
S. W. corner of the Square. [Aug. 4.—H.]

#### CHARLES O'BRIAN, Dentist.

Resides at Holly Springs, Miss.

HE is prepared to perform all operations belonging to DENTAL SURGERY.—He feels assured after two years uniform success, that he will realize a liberal patronage. He would just say to the public that they cannot be too careful who they employ as a Dentist. August 4—2—1y.

#### L. CAGE & CO,

WOULD inform the public that they have removed to the store adjoining the UNION HOUSE, (Charr's.) That they have received, and will keep constantly on hand, a large and complete supply of

Drugs, Medicines, Oils, Perfumery, &c. &c. &c.  
All of which they intend to sell for Cash, at prices lower than can be purchased at any other house in the South. Particular attention paid to the preparing and putting up of Physicians orders, and prescriptions. Holly Springs, April, 1841.

#### NOTICE.

#### CARRIAGE & WAGON ESTABLISHMENT.

THE SUBSCRIBERS having associated themselves together in the above business, beg leave to inform the citizens Holly Springs and vicinity, that they are prepared to execute with neatness, durability and dispatch, all business entrusted to their care, and hope by strict attention to business to merit and receive a liberal share of patronage. We have in our employ experienced and skillful mechanics, and also a lot of fine material. Shop on the right hand side of street leading west from Williams' Hotel.

T. B. WALTHALL,  
A. BULLINGTON.

Aug. 12—1f

#### TRUST SALE.

IN pursuance of the authority given, by virtue of a deed of trust, made by Patrick McDavid, to the undersigned as trustee, for the purpose of securing John B. Rodgers and George Pool, against certain liabilities incurred by them as indorsers and securities of the said McDavid. I will on the 2nd Monday of February, 1842, unless the debts and liabilities in said deed specified, are previously satisfied by said McDavid,—offer for sale at public outcry, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in the town of Holly Springs, Mississippi, the negroes, land, and other property, conveyed by said deed, or so much thereof, as shall be required to satisfy the objects and trusts therein assigned. There are twelve negroes all young and likely. The land is the beautiful, fertile, and comfortably improved tract, now occupied by said McDavid, North of Hudsonville. For a more particular description of said negroes, and land, as also, the other personal property, reference is made to the trust deed, of record in Marshall County, Mississippi. I will make only such title to said property as is vested in me. July 30, 1841—2

J. H. ANDERSON, Trustee.

#### The State of Mississippi, Tiptah County.

Circuit Court, March Term, 1841.

Mary Kendrick,  
vs.  
Jesse Kendrick.

THIS day came the Complainant, by her attorney, and the said complainant having filed her bill of complaint against the said defendant, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the defendant resides beyond the limits of this State, so that the ordinary process of this court cannot be served upon him. It is therefore ordered by the court that unless the said defendant appear before this court at the next term of said court, to be held for the county of Tiptah, in the State of Mississippi, in the town of Ripley, on the last Monday in September next, and plead, or answer that a hearing on the facts charged in complainant's bill will be had, and the allegations therein contained taken as confessed. It is further ordered that this order be published for three months in a newspaper published in the town of Holly Springs in said State.

A true copy from the Minutes. Test.  
HARDY W. STRICKLIN, Clk.  
Thompson & Davis, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

#### Trust Sale.

NOTICE is hereby given, that six months from this date, the undersigned will, by virtue of a deed of trust, executed to him by A. G. Goodwin, for the benefit of George H. Wyatt, proceed to sell, at the Court House door, in the town of Holly Springs, Miss. at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash,

#### The Tract of Land,

On which Goodwin now resides, containing one hundred and sixty acres—south-west quarter section 27, township 1, range. 1 Also,

Three Horses, Household and Kitchen Furniture, one Wagon, Plantation Utensils, &c.  
Said deed is recorded in the office of the Probate Court of Marshall County.  
May 15th. 1841—[jc28-tds] JOHN O. WINFIELD.

#### Estray Notices—Marshall County.

TAKEN up by Joseph Howard, living seven miles south east of Holly Springs, one bay horse, appears to have had the sweney in the left shoulder, left hind and fore foot white, a few white hairs on his shoulder, about fourteen and a half hands high, about nine or ten years old; appraised to forty dollars July 10, 1841.

TAKEN up by Patrick Bradley, living 15 miles west of Holly Springs one black cow and calf, one horn off, branded with letter O, marked with cross slip and nick in the left ear, about nine years old; appraised to nine dollars.

Also—One brindled heifer, crop and slit in the right and left ears, about two years old; appraised to five dollars and fifty cents.

Also, one brindled Bull, three old, slit in the right ear; appraised to eight dollars and fifty cents.

Also, one black bull, two years old, unmarked; appraised to six dollars and fifty cents.

Also, one red steer, slope off the upper part of the right and two slits in the left ears, white face, some specks of white on his back, and legs, about five or six years old, appraised to fifteen dollars, this 17th of June 1841.

TAKEN up by William Dodridge, living near Arnold's mill, on Cold-water, one pale sorrel mare mule, about thirteen hands high, three or four years old; appraised to forty dollars, June 19th, 1841.

TAKEN up by Shad Wooten, living on Oak-te-wa-la ten miles south-west of Holly Springs, one sorrel mare, three years old, right hind foot white; appraised to forty-five dollars, July 30, 1841.

G. W. GRAHAM, Ranger.

The superior court of chancery has jurisdiction over all matters, pleas and complaints whatsoever, belonging to, or cognizable in a court of equity; it holds two sessions annually

#### CIRCUIT COURT.

This court has original jurisdiction in civil cases, in which the sum in controversy exceeds \$50. For each of the eleven circuits, a Judge and attorney are elected quadrennially, from November.

This court has also exclusive criminal Jurisdiction.

RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE JUDICIAL DISTRICTS.

[As per Act, approved Feb. 19, 1840.]

1st Judicial District, composed of the counties of Warren, Claiborne, Washington, and Bolivar.

2d Judicial District, composed of the counties of Yalobusha, Carroll, Choctaw and Tallahatchie

3d Judicial District, composed of the counties of Adams, Wilson and Jefferson.

4th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Smith, Copiah, Simpson, Scott, Newton, and Neshoba.

5th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Jones, Jackson, Green, Perry Wayne, Clarke, and Lauderdale.

6th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Noxubee, Lowndes, Kemper, Winston and Oktibbeha.

7th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Hinds, Madison, and Rankin.

8th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Marshall, Lafayette, Panola, De Soto, Tunica, and Coahoma.

9th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Monroe, Itawamba, Tishomingo, Pontotoc, Chickasaw and Tiptah.

10th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Yazoo, Holmes, Attala, and Leake.

11th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Lawrence, Covington, Hancock, Marion, Pike, Amite, and Franklin.

#### RULES.

Of the High Courts of Errors and Appeals, Adopted at its January Term, 1840.

Ordered, That hereafter, when a case is reached on the docket, if no counsel appear on either side, or when no counsel be marked on the docket, the case shall be dismissed: Provided, however, That such dismissal may be set aside, on good cause shown, supported by affidavit; but in no case will such dismissal be set aside, unless the affidavit also show that there are probable merits.

When any defendant in error shall be dissatisfied with the security taken in any writ of error bond, he may move the court for a rule upon the plaintiff in error to show cause, on a day to be named, why the supersedeas should not be discharged, or other security given, a copy of which rule shall be served on the plaintiff in error, at least five days before the expiration of the same.

The motion for the rule must be founded upon an affidavit of the insufficiency of the security taken—and the affidavit of a person interested in the judgment below, may be read in support of the application. If the court is satisfied from the affidavit that there is cause to interpose, the rule will be entered. On showing cause, affidavits taken by either party may be read to show the sufficiency or insufficiency of the security taken, provided reasonable notice be given of the taking of the same. The affidavit of the security may be received. If the security is adjudged insufficient, the additional security must be approved by the court.

Ordered, That hereafter when a re argument is ordered, the re-argument shall be had at the same term at which it is granted—the cause to be placed at the end of the docket of the district to which it belongs.

Test: R. A. PATRICK, Clerk.

#### A TABLE.

Showing when, and where, the Circuit Court of each County in the State of Mississippi is held.

COUNTIES.	WHAT MONDAY HELD.	COUNTY SEATS.
Adams,	4th in May and Nov.	Natchez.
Amite,	2nd in May and Nov.	Liberty.
Attala,	2nd in April and Oct.	Kosciusko.
Bolivar,	1st in April and Oct.	Bolivar, C. H.
Carroll,	2nd in April and Oct.	Carrollton.
Chickasaw,	2d af. 4th in Ap. & Oct.	Houston.
Choctaw,	4th in Mar. and Sept.	Greensborough.
Claiborne,	4th in May and Nov.	Port Gibson.
Clarke,	3rd in May and Nov.	Quitman.
Copiah,	1st in May and Nov.	Gallatin.
Coahoma,	2d in April and Oct.	Coahoma, C. H.
Covington,	3d in April and Oct.	Williamburg.
De Soto,	4th in Mar. and Sept.	Hernando.
Franklin,	4th in May and Nov.	Meadville.
Green,	1st in April and Oct.	Leakville.
Hancock,	1st in April and Oct.	Shieldsborough.
Hinds,	3d in June and Dec.	Raymond.
Holmes,	3d in April and Oct.	Lexington.
Itawamba,	3d in April and Oct.	Fulton.
Jackson,	4th in March and Sept.	Jackson C. H.
Jasper,	2d in May and Nov.	Paulding.
Jefferson,	1st in May and Nov.	Fayette.
Jones,	4th in April and Oct.	Ellisville.
Kemper,	4th in April and Oct.	De Kalb.
Lauderdale,	4th in May and Nov.	Marion.
Lawrence,	4th in April and Oct.	Monticello.
Leake,	1st in April and Oct.	Carthage.
Lafayette,	3d in May and Nov.	Oxford.
Lowndes,	1st in April and Oct.	Columbus.
Madison,	1st in May and Nov.	Canton.
Marion,	2d in April and Oct.	Columbia.
Monroe,	4th in April and Oct.	Athens.
Marshall,	1st af. 4 in May & Nov.	Holly Springs.
Neshoba,	4th in May and Nov.	Philadelphia.
Newton,	3d af. 4th May & Nov.	Decatur.
Noxubee,	3d in April and Oct.	Macon.
Oktibbeha,	4th af. 4th Apl. & Oct.	Starkville.
Perry,	3d in April and Oct.	Augusta.
Pontotoc,	3d af. 4th in Ap. & Oct.	Pontotoc.
Pike,	1st in May and Nov.	Holmesville.
Panola,	1st in May and Nov.	Panola.
Rankin,	1st in June and Dec.	Brandon.
Scott,	2d af. 4th May & Nov.	Hillsborough.
Simpson,	4th in May and Nov.	Westville.
Smith,	4th af. 4th May & Nov.	Fairfield.
Tallahatchie,	4th in May and Nov.	Charleston.
Tunica,	1st in April and Oct.	Commerce.
Tiptah,	last in Mar and Sept.	Ripley.
Tishomingo,	2d in Mar and Sept.	Jacinto.
Washington,	3d in Mar and Sept.	Vicksburg.
Wayne,	2d in Mar and Sept.	Princeton.
Wilkinson,	2d in Mar and Sept.	Winchester.
Winston,	1st in Mar and Sept.	Woodville.
Yalobusha,	3d af. 4th Ap. & Oct.	Louisville.
Yazoo,	1st in May and Nov.	Coffeeville.
	1st in May and Nov.	Benton.

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GEORGE ROBERTS,

Publisher and Proprietor.

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